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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed August 16, 2005, please amend the above-referenced patent application as shown herein. A petition for a 2 month extension of time and appropriate fee (less the fee already paid for a 1 month extension of time) are also enclosed, thus, extending Applicant's deadline to respond to September 15, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims may be found beginning on page 2. Remarks and a Conclusion may be found beginning on page 5.